

November 26, 2018

Via FOIA Online

Regional Freedom of Information Officer  
U.S. EPA, Region 8  
1595 Wynkoop Street  
Denver, CO 80202-1129

To Whom It May Concern:

Under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552, we are requesting copies of certain records evidencing inspections, enforcement, or other regulatory activity occurring at or relating to the Anaconda Aluminum Co. Columbia Falls Reduction Plant located in Columbia Falls, Montana (the "Site"). The Site is currently owned by Columbia Falls Aluminum Company ("CFAC"), which is in turn owned by Glencore AG ("Glencore"). The Site may be referred to in EPA records as the "Columbia Falls Aluminum Company Plant" or the "CFAC Plant." EPA added the Site to the National Priorities List on September 9, 2016. The Site's EPA ID is MTD057561763. The EPA Administrative Settlement and Order on Consent for Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study governing CERCLA response actions at the Site is identified by CERCLA Docket No. 08-2016-0002.

In particular, we request all records relating to:

1. Communications, inspections, enforcement, or other regulatory activity by EPA and its affiliates, pertaining to the Site. This request includes, but is not necessarily limited to, inspection reports, field inspection notes, other reports, permits, notices of violation, and enforcement-related orders;
2. All communications with, and all documents sent to or received from, CFAC or Glencore relating to the Site;
3. All communications with, and all documents sent to or received from, the Montana Department of Environmental Quality relating to the Site;
4. All documents produced by CFAC to EPA in response to the EPA's 2014 request for information under CERCLA Section 104(e), 42 U.S.C. § 9604(e);
5. All documents listed on the EPA Site File Index for the Site; and
6. All documents contained in the EPA Administrative Record for the Site.

If possible, I would prefer to receive the requested records in electronic form (e.g., CD/DVD). If the copies cannot be transmitted electronically, please mail the copies of the records to me with an itemized invoice. We authorize copying charges of up to \$1,000.00 in furtherance of this request. If the searching copying charges will exceed this amount, please contact me regarding the costs.

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If you have any questions about processing this request, you may contact me at 303-892-7476 or [tess.hand-bender@dgsllaw.com](mailto:tess.hand-bender@dgsllaw.com).

Sincerely,



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